

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-75 are currently pending.

Double patenting rejection

Claims 1-75 stand provisionally rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting over copending Application No. 10/083,934. A terminal disclaimer is provided herewith to obviate the provisional double patenting rejection.

CONCLUSION

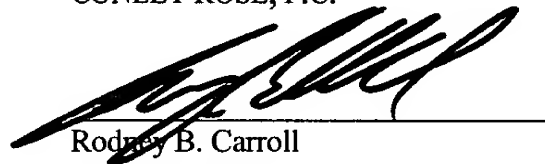
Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner has any questions or comments or otherwise feels it would be helpful in expediting the application, he is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at (972) 731-2288. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fee associated with any of the foregoing papers submitted herewith to Deposit Account No. 50-1515, Conley Rose, P.C.

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